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A PHILIPPINE PHILIPPIC

Hurled at the Head of Washington Government.

DIVERS ACTS OF UNCLE SAM

In the Oriental Archipelago the Subject of Severe Censure.

A STRONG DEMAND FOR JUSTICE

And an Earnest Protest Against the Present Flirting With Spaniards.

Rebels Friendly, but Chafing the Bit of Uncertainty and Delay.

Hongkong, Nov. 15.—The Filipino junta, representatives of General Aguinaldo and the Filipino government here, have drawn up what they designate as an "appeal to President McKinley and the American people," but what is in reality rather in the nature of an arraignment of American actions in the Philippines. The memorial says:

"We, the Hongkong representatives of our countrymen, appeal to the great and good judgment of President McKinley and the spirit of fairness and justice of the American people as it is always shown in their regard for the petitions of the weak and oppressed.

"While the fate of the islands is still undecided, and we are doing all in our power to prevent a conflict between the Americans and Filipinos awaiting patiently the conclusion of the Paris conference—we implore the intervention of the president, supported by the will of the people, to end the slights shown our leaders, soldiers and people by some of the American military and naval officers, although we do not wish to wrong Admiral Dewey or General Otis."

The memorial then avers that general reports are spread broadcast alleging that the Filipinos are responsible for all the friction, points out that the tension is greater every day, and any moment a shot may be fired by an irresponsible American or Filipino soldier leading to great bloodshed, and beseeches the United States to "help the junta to control our own people by directing American officials at Manila to temper their actions with friendship, justice and fairness."

"From the commencement of hostilities," continues the memorial, "the Filipinos acceded to all the American requests; but, after bottling up the Dons in Manila, the Filipinos were completely ignored when the Americans advanced and thus deprived us of the fruits of victory. Now, after months of campaigning, the Filipino troops have been ordered beyond the suburbs, where they have no quarters and where supplies are difficult to obtain. All our launches have been seized because of foolish rumors that we would attack the Americans, and when we asked explanations we were not even answered. The Spaniards, of late the enemies of the Americans, have been shown every consideration, while the Filipinos, their friends and allies, are often treated as enemies."

After asserting that the Filipinos uniformly acted upon the advice of the Americans and were informally recognized by them until Manila was captured, the memorial goes on to say:

"We can only attribute this sudden change to orders from Washington to American officials at Manila to avoid compromising the American government by a recognition of the Filipino government. The Americans are carrying out these instructions literally, losing sight of the former friendly intercourse and assistance and of the assurances the American officials gave General Aguinaldo which he communicated to his followers."

After emphasizing the Junta's "absolute confidence in President McKinley and the people of the great republic," stating that "our protests are not prompted by animosity but are directed against conditions existing at Manila and not against the American government and people," acknowledging "our gratitude to American arms for destroying the Spanish power in the Philippines," and expressing "a hope that the islands are not to be returned to Spain," the memorial concludes thus: "We await the abridgment of the peace commission with even greater interest than the Americans, because it concerns our land, our happiness and our freedom. In the meantime we shall pray for peace and a perfect understanding with the Americans."

Orders to the Teresa's Crew.
Washington, Nov. 15.—Lieutenant Commander L. Harris, who was in com-

mand of the Spanish cruiser Maria Teresa at the time of her abandonment, has been ordered to proceed from Charleston, with the enlisted men formerly attached to the Teresa, to the navy yard at Norfolk.

Germany Not Approached.

Berlin, Nov. 15.—A high official of the German foreign office asserts that no communications or negotiations have occurred between the powers regarding the Philippine question. Germany, he says, has only commercial interests to protect there.

GENERAL EAGAN

Submits His Report About the Army Subsistence Department.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The report of Charles P. Eagan, commissary of subsistence of the army, has been submitted to the secretary of war. It shows an expenditure of \$6,008,715, with a balance of \$20,222,689 to the credit of the bureau.

After detailing conditions of the commissary department and its organization for the war with Spain, General Eagan comes to the Santiago campaign, of which he says:

"A very serious freight blockade at and in the neighborhood of Tampa in May and June, 1888, was caused by the celerity with which the troops and their supplies were concentrated at that place, in preparation for the invasion of the island of Cuba. This blockade was a matter of grave concern to the subsistence department, and it was only after the most peremptory orders of the commissary general of subsistence to unload the cars and to hire warehouses, if necessary, that the officers of the department on the spot were enabled with unflagging zeal and untiring energy to so far extricate the department as to permit the taking of the Fifth army corps, when it sailed on June 14, a supply of rations sufficient to last the command of 16,000 enlisted men for four months, and the sending on June 26, 27 and 28 of further supplies."

After giving in detail what supplies were sent to Cuba, General Eagan says:

"It will thus be seen that all due diligence was used by the commissary general of subsistence in placing subsistence stores within reach of the troops operating against Santiago. Upon landing in Cuba these stores of the expedition were subject to the orders of the general commanding, who was in paramount control of the military operations in that quarter."

After quoting a number of official orders, the general says:

"It is evident from the foregoing statements that the supplies of subsistence stores shipped for the use of the army in Cuba have been at all times in excess of immediate needs. Besides being available for our own troops, they afforded relief to the Cuban army and to the destitute population, which abandoned the city of Santiago when preparations for its destruction had been made.

Breckinridge Testifies.

Washington, Nov. 15.—General Breckinridge, Dr. Huidekoper and Major Knox were before the war investigating commission. General Breckinridge's testimony dealt with conditions at Camp Thomas, of which he was for a time in command, and he took occasion to say that but for the change that was made previous to the war, requiring inspector generals in the field to report to the adjutant general instead of the inspector general, the condition of camps now being developed by the commission would have been developed three months ago.

Spain Will Yield to Force.

Madrid, Nov. 15.—Officials here do not believe the peace negotiations will be broken off. If the United States persist in their present claims Spain will accept the conditions after formally announcing at a session of the commission and in a circular to the powers that she yields to force and owing to the impossibility of renewing the war without obtainable assistance in defense of her rights.

A Guard's Stupidity.

Santiago de Cuba, Nov. 15.—Private Stigson of the Eighth Illinois volunteers (colored), who was recently court-martialed for a murderous assault on a corporal of the regiment and sentenced to three years' imprisonment, was released a few days ago from the city jail by the warden, who mistook him for another man. All efforts to recapture him have proved futile.

Blanco to the Cubans.

Havana, Nov. 15.—Captain General Blanco has notified General Calixto Garcia and the other members of the Cuban commission, who have arrived here from Santa Cruz del Sur, that it would be advisable for them to camp at Marianao, so as to avoid public demonstrations. The Cubans have followed this advice.

Fatal Explosion.

Springfield, O., Nov. 15.—John Marshall's large sawmill, three miles west of Tremont City, was wrecked by the explosion of the 40-horse power boiler. David Zerkle, Jr., 28, an off-bearer, was instantly killed.

Orders to the Teresa's Crew.
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WAR TAX WILL STAND.

Congress Will Keep Hands Off at Coming Session.

DINGLEY'S FLAT STATEMENT

Revenues Running Behind Expenditures, and the War Measure Must Continue In Force For at Least Another Year Yet.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The war tax will not be abolished at the coming short session of congress. Chairman Dingley of the ways and means committee made this positive statement in an interview. He continued:

"The government will need for some time all the revenue produced by the war taxes. During the month of October the war expenditures exceeded the war revenue by some \$14,000,000, and this month they will be \$10,000,000 in excess. This being the case, there will be no changes at least this fiscal year. The war revenue act will continue in force and unchanged, except perhaps in a few minor administrative features, for at least a year longer.

"It is hardly necessary to add," continued Mr. Dingley, "that there will be no revision of the tariff, although I have seen some statements to the effect that such a revision is contemplated. The session is limited to three months," he said, "and that short period will be mainly occupied in passing the appropriation bills, in enacting new laws for the regular army and in deciding upon the legislation necessary for the government of Hawaii. In addition to these important matters the usual number of routine matters will arise. From the present outlook, the session will be well under way before the treaty of peace with Spain will be laid before the senate and the ratification of that document may not be accomplished long before the 4th of March arrives."

"Will that necessitate an extra session?" was asked.

"It is, of course, impossible," said Mr. Dingley. "To know what will arise between the 1st of December and the 4th of next March, but so far as the present outlook can form a basis for judgment, I should say that no extra session will be necessary or desirable, unless some new question should arise. In the first place, we shall not know until the treaty of peace has been ratified what new possessions we are to have and what legislation is necessary for them, and even then we will be in no position to act intelligently. I think that the military administration ought to be continued for at least a year longer. Military administration means the maintenance of order, the establishment of sanitary regulations, the giving of assistance to those who may need it. It will bring order out of chaos and afford us to determine the wisest legislation. Time always enlightens, and certainly when congress meets at its regular session in December of next year we will be much better equipped to consider the proper method of dealing with our newly acquired possessions."

"For my part," added Mr. Dingley, "I hope that the territory to be added will be no larger than is absolutely necessary. I realize that in some cases it may be easier to hold than it will be to let go, but at the same time, I hope that the treaty when it is presented to the senate will provide for the acquisition of a minimum amount of territory."

Peck Reports Progress.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Ferdinand W. Peck, commissioner general of the United States to the Paris exposition, called upon President McKinley and gave a brief account of what had been accomplished at Paris. President Faure of France and Mr. Brisson, the late prime minister, had charged Mr. Peck to convey to President McKinley their highest regards, and in doing so Mr. Peck spoke of the very many kindnesses which had been shown him by those distinguished Frenchmen.

Hawaiian Commission's Report.

Washington, Nov. 15.—Senator Culom, chairman of the Hawaiian commission, who has arrived here, expects to call a meeting of the commission at an early day. He is now engaged in framing the report. The substantial features have been agreed upon and it remains only to put these into form and then submit them to the full commission for final approval.

New York, Nov. 15.—The Methodist preachers' meeting passed a resolution to have a committee appointed to investigate certain outrages alleged to have been committed recently upon colored citizens of North Carolina. The chairman, the Rev. Dr. Thomas L. Poulsen, appointed Dr. W. H. Brooks, colored, and two white clergymen, Rev. Dr. Clark Wright and Rev. George Adams, of Brooklyn, as the committee.

LIEUTENANT DRESEL

Commits Suicide In a Baltimore Hotel

By Shooting Himself.

Columbus, O., Nov. 15.—Word was received here that Lieutenant Herman G. Dresel of the United States navy committed suicide in the Carrollton hotel, at Baltimore, Md., by shooting himself in the head.

Lieutenant Dresel went to the Carrollton toilet room and locked the door behind him. Almost immediately thereafter a pistol shot alarmed the inmates of the house and a search showed that Dresel was dead.

In one of his pockets was found an order from Secretary Long dated Nov. 11, detaching Dresel from the Essex and ordering him to Manilla to join the Zafiro. A telegram addressed to Lieutenant C. H. Fales in Washington and signed by Dresel, which was found on the dead man, requested Fales to exchange orders with the writer, and it was evidently the intention of Dresel to have sent this.

Lieutenant Dresel was well known at the navy pay office in the custom house here. No one could assign any cause for the act, except his unwillingness to go to Manilla. He is described as a pleasant, cheerful man with no known troubles.

Dresel was about 40 years of age. He entered the navy on Sept. 22, 1876, at Annapolis, having been appointed from Ohio.

On May 4, 1896, he was made a lieutenant. During the Spanish-American war he served on board the Puritan. Following the war he was transferred to the Essex, and it is said the transfer to Manilla was made on account of his value as an officer, which marked him out for continued active duty.

The father of Lieutenant Dresel committed suicide at Columbus, O., several years ago. The house in which the tragedy was committed has always been regarded as haunted.

KENTUCKY BOYS KILLED.

Many Disasters Occur on the Trip of Soldiers to the South.

Columbus, Ga., Nov. 15.—A disastrous railroad accident occurred just out of Birmingham, in which two members of the Third Kentucky regiment, en route to their winter headquarters in the south, were killed. The wagon section of the Third Kentucky train, while speeding along at a rapid rate, separated near Birmingham and then crashed together. The car on which Privates James A. Kindard, company K, and Walter Isogol, company I, were, was partially demolished and both injured fatally, dying soon after.

The arrival of the regiment at Columbus was greatly delayed. On the trip down two members of the regiment were injured and one killed instantly. Lige Hathaway, colored, a cook of the officers' mess, while attempting to board the train, was thrown under the cars and both legs were severed above the knees and he died almost instantly. Private Dunny, company K, of Paducah, Ky., fell between the cars of the headquarters' section and had his right leg crushed so badly that amputation will be necessary to save his life. Teamster J. C. Starret of Bowling Green, Ky., also had a leg crushed and is now in a serious condition.

Standard Oil Investigation.

Cleveland, Nov. 15.—The Standard Oil investigation was taken up here. Colonel Allen T. Brinsmade was appointed by the state supreme court as special master commissioner to take testimony in the contempt proceedings brought against the Standard Oil company in the Ohio supreme court by Attorney General Monnett. Mr. Monnett is representing the state. The Standard company is being represented by M. F. Elliott of New York, attorney for the oil company. The witnesses subpoenaed before Special Master Commissioner Brinsmade were F. B. Squire, secretary, and Martin Snider, treasurer of the Standard Oil company.

Soldiers' Fatal Quarrel.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 15.—Private Ed McCarthy and Corporal John Nixon, both of company D, Third engineers, became engaged in a fight which will result fatally for Nixon. Both were intoxicated. They had been left by their regiment. Nixon called McCarthy a liar and the latter drew a whisky bottle and beat Nixon's head to a jelly, wounding him fatally.

Cincinnati Ministers' Act.

Cincinnati, Nov. 15.—The Methodist ministers' meeting passed a resolution to have a committee appointed to investigate certain "outrages" alleged to have been committed recently upon colored citizens of North Carolina. The chairman appointed Dr. Runyan, Rev. L. M. Hagood and Rev. C. Thierly a committee to investigate the report and suggest remedies.

Platt's Bank to Reopen.

Owego, N. Y., Nov. 15.—The Tioga National bank, of which Senator Thomas C. Platt is president, will reopen its doors for business Thursday morning.

DREAD YELLOW FEVER

Spreading Rapidly In the Filthy City of Havana.

PEOPLE GREATLY ALARMED.

Have No Facilities For Fighting the Disease, and Unless Sanitary Condition Improve Its Ravages Will Be Fearful.

New York, Nov. 15.—Among the passengers who arrived here on the steamer Yucatan from Havana was Colonel J. H. Bliss of the subsistence department of the army.

Colonel Bliss was ordered to Cuba Oct. 14 to locate camp sites for the army of occupation. He brings with him a report of the work done there and this report he will take to Washington.

When asked as to the present state of affairs in Havana, the colonel said that the city was in a filthy condition. "I do not believe," he said, "that the city has ever been in worse shape. The people are seriously alarmed over the spread of yellow fever. They realize that there are no facilities for fighting the dread disease and that it will spread quickly if the city remains in the present sanitary condition. The people there seem to think that the city is a good place to keep away from unless they are there on business of the most pressing kind."

Volunteer Regiments to Be Returned.

Denver, Nov. 15.—Governor Adams has received a telegram from Adjutant General Corbin to the effect the volunteer regiments now doing duty in the Philippines are to be ordered home as soon as the troops now en route for the islands reach there to take their places. The governor had written the adjutant general requesting the discharge of a young son of a prominent Denver family. In his reply General Corbin says: "In reply, I have the honor to inform you that it is the purpose of the war department to return to the United States within a few months the volunteer regiments now serving in Manilla, other volunteer regiments now being on their way to replace them."

Dr. Huidekoper's Testimony.

Washington, Nov. 15.—The war investigating commission resumed the examination of witnesses, with Dr. R. S. Huidekoper, lieutenant colonel of volunteers, on the stand. He said that he had occupied the position of chief medical officer of the First army corps at Camp Thomas, Chickamauga park, until July 23, when he had gone to Porto Rico with General Brooke. Speaking of the supply depot, he said there were large quantities of some articles and a superabundance of others at the beginning of the history of Camp Thomas, but that this condition of affairs did not long continue.

Cuban Military Hospital.

Havana, Nov. 15.—Dr. Laine expects to have his report of the condition of the military hospitals ready soon. He has visited and inspected every hospital in the city and suburbs with the view of converting them into military hospitals for the use of the American troops. But it is understood that the condition of most of the hospitals was found to be too unsanitary to warrant being used by unacclimated troops.

Half of Spain Obliterated.

Madrid, Nov. 15.—Aragon has now joined with the other provinces of Spain in demanding the decentralization of the government, on which subject a Catalonian deputation was received in audience by the queen regent. The Aragonians, in presenting their demands, point out that the "Anglo-Saxons of America, aided by the Anglo-Saxons of Europe, have obliterated half of Spain from the maps."

Left Manilla.

Washington, Nov. 15.—A dispatch has been received at the war department announcing that the hospital ship Scandia has sailed from Manilla for San Francisco with about 70 sick soldiers on board.

EVENING BULLETIN.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 1898.

For Kentucky—Fair Tuesday; variable winds; Wednesday fair.

SENATOR HANNA comes out in an interview admitting that the Dingl-y tariff law is a miserable failure as a revenue provider. He's in favor of retaining the war tax, and says.

So far as I am concerned, I favor putting a duty on tea and coffee. Revenue for the support of the Government must be raised in some way, and the indirect is the best way. When the people do not realize that they are paying the tax there is no complaint. Still it will be necessary to retain some of the features of the war revenue measure.

As Hanna is boss, we presume this will be the policy of the Republican party. Of course, Hanna is dead opposed to an income tax, because that would require him and his rich friends to pay in proportion to their ability.

WILLIAMS MAY WIN.

The Democratic Nominee May Yet Be the Ninth District's Next Congressman.

After all, Judge Pugh may not be the Ninth district's next Representative in Congress.

The face of the returns shows he squeezed through by less than a dozen majority, but since the official count, Mr. Williams, his Democratic opponent, has discovered alleged irregularities in Bracken County that may result in his receiving the certificate of election.

It is claimed that in two of the precincts in Bracken County, the officers of election closed the polls at noon, left the polling place and went and ate dinner. The law explicitly says the polls shall be open from 7 a. m. until 4 p. m.

Mr. Williams has filed a motion before the County Election Commissioners of Bracken for a reopening of the official canvas, and has served notice on Judge Pugh. The case will come up some time this week.

The two precincts mentioned gave Judge Pugh a total of twenty-two majority. If they are thrown out on account of the irregularity, Mr. Williams will have a majority of about twelve votes.

THE FOURTH KENTUCKY.

The Soldier Boys Will Contribute \$500 to the Kentucky Battleship Fund.

CAMP SHIPP, ANNISTON, ALA., November 13.—The Fourth Kentucky Regiment will make a liberal contribution to the fund to buy a silver service for the battleship Kentucky. At a meeting of the officers of the regiment last night an organization toward this end was effected. The presentation of the fund to the commissioners will be made through Miss Christine Bradley. The amount of the fund will be at least \$500. Of this sum the officers will contribute the greatest part, and the enlisted men will be allowed to give whatever they may see fit.

The suggestion to make this contribution was made by one of the officers and received a hearty endorsement. A meeting of the officers was held last night, at which two committees were appointed, one to have charge of raising the fund and the other to draft suitable resolutions to accompany it. Major Morrow was made Chairman of the meeting. The regiment in selecting Miss Bradley to present its gift desires to show its admiration of her and its friendship and esteem for her father, the Governor.

Just received a new line of sterling silver spoons and forks. These goods were bought low and we'll sell them lower than they have ever been offered. Murphy has bargains. Call and learn what they are.

FIRE INSURANCE.—Pickett & Respsess, successors to Duley & Baldwin.

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard street, Philadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this royal cure: "It soon removed the pain in my chest and I now can sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the throat, chest or lungs. Price 50c. and \$1. Trial bottles free at J. J. Wood & Son's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

Proceedings of the Mason County Branch of the State Union—The New Officers.

The meeting convened at Murphysville October 29th, and was called to order by Prof. E. Swift, President. The choir sang "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms." Scripture reading by Prof. E. A. Fox, State Secretary, after which Rev. J. Q. A. Vaught led in prayer.

The county President addressed the meeting in reference to the needs of these conventions and the needs and work of the county, reviewing somewhat the work of the past year.

The County Secretary being absent, John W. Boulden was elected temporary Secretary.

After a song by the choir, Rev. F. W. Harrop addressed the convention on Sunday school management, covering the topics of punctuality, order, grading S. S. records and support in very admirable way.

He said he believed in beginning on time, running on time and closing on time. There should be no disturbing of a class during the lesson, and there should be prompt obedience to Supt.'s call bell when tapped for order. It was made plain that the S. S. was a school, and its pupils must be graded in order to accomplish the greatest good. Age and attainment were the elements to determine grading, and pupils must not be allowed to grade themselves. The subject of order and grading was further discussed by Prof. E. A. Fox.

J. S. Asbury stated that it was the custom of the M. E. Church, South, to elect the Superintendent and he thought the school ought to feel its responsibility in regard to its support. Dr. Waller and Rev. Vaught further discussed the subject.

Following a song by the choir, Prof. E. A. Fox addressed the convention on the purpose of the Ky. S. S. Association. Its purpose was to make the officers and teachers and schools more efficient in the work of teaching God's word. He also illustrated how this was done, and how new schools were often started. At the close of the talk he presented the S. S. Reporter, a paper published by the Ky. S. S. Association in the interest of the work of this State.

The President appointed Dr. Waller, John W. Boulden, Wm. Rice, H. E. Gabby, J. S. Asbury and E. A. Fox as a committee to nominate officers for the coming year, after which the convention adjourned for dinner on the grounds, which was bountifully served.

At afternoon session, following a song by the choir, the nominating committee presented the following names for officers which were unanimously elected: Prof. E. Swift, President; John W. Boulden, Vice President; Claud Tolle, Secretary and Treasurer; Executive Committee, John Duley, I. M. Lane, J. B. Orr, Jr., M. F. Marsh and James Childs. For District Presidents, James Irving, Washington; Wm. Chandler, Mayslick; J. C. Stevenson, Murphysville; C. N. Bolinger, Lewisburg; J. W. Bramel, Orangeburg; J. W. Wilson, Dover, and Dr. C. C. Coburn, Germantown.

Reports were handed in from the Maysville Baptist S. S., the M. E. Church S. S., Maysville, and from the S. S. at Hebron. It was also reported that the Central Presbyterian Church S. S. and the Christian Church S. S., both of Maysville, had previously sent in their reports to the Secretary. We are sorry to say that these were all the schools that reported. It was stated by some that they had failed to receive blanks to make their reports, but would report later.

The County Secretary's report was read, which showed that he had done very faithful work in the interest of the cause during the past year. As there had been some necessary expenses in the way of postage, postal cards, printing of program and letter material by the Secretary, amounting to \$5.58, the President asked the convention to help pay that amount. A collection of \$3.57 was taken. On motion, the Secretary was allowed the amount of necessary expense enumerated above from the county funds.

Rev. Dr. Buckner, of Washington, presented the convention with a word picture of an ideal Bible class, and hoped that all Sunday schools would strive toward it. Dr. Waller addressed the convention on "The Teacher as a Soul Winner." He said the S. S. ought to be the means of gathering the children as well as the older ones in the Kingdom of God. Mr. H. E. Gabby also spoke very enthusiastically on the subject.

After a song by the choir, Rev. J. O. A. Vaught spoke of the purpose of the S. S.,

defining the S. S. as the church at school. He said the S. S. ought first to bring people to church in order to bring them to Christ and to build them up in Christ. The talk was very helpful and to the point.

Rev. W. H. Calvert spoke briefly on "How May We Best Provide Instruction for Those Kept From S. S."

The County S. S. Association is under many obligations to the Christian people of Murphysville for their hearty co-operation in making the convention a success, in providing the dinner and delightful music for the occasion.

John W. Boulden, Secretary P. T.

Note—This report has been unavoidably detained on account of an unusual press of business.

SPLENDID ENTERTAINMENTS.

Are These That the Y. M. C. A. is Arranging For Maysville This Winter—Season Tickets Only \$1.

The Young Men's Christian Association is endeavoring to arrange for an entertainment course this winter, commencing November 28th and continuing one a month, till five have been enjoyed. Every town of any importance has its series of amusements through the winter to which all can go with the assurance of pure amusement and true pleasure; the preacher may meet his steward, the deacon his grocer and the saloon keeper come under the elevating influences of intellectuality and good music which can but do all good.

It is not to make money that the course is wanted; primarily it is for the benefit of the public and secondarily it is to get something first-class at an absolutely low price.

The guarantee fund must be made up by to-morrow; \$150 must be subscribed. A season ticket for the five entertainments is only \$1.

The attractions are Jahn Concert Co., five persons in a program of excellence, delightful voices,—not a classic program, but popular songs, melodies and music. Then Chas. Montaville Flowers, one of the greatest living monologists, in a fine class of impersonations. Dr. Briggs in a charming lecture which will make you laugh. Miss Manheimer, the famous Shakespearean artist and lineal descendant of dear old "Hamlet" Murdock, and last Opie Reed and Will Visscher in an evening of story telling. The mere mention of these two last insures a fine evening.

Cheerfully subscribe to this fund and let's be abreast of the times, for there is nothing so good for a people as amusement and this course being at the court house and for the public's pleasure should be taken up with a whirl. Push it, people, please; particular pleasure in pastimes pregnant with pretty sentiment and phraseology devoid of platitudes.

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Nuggets of Economy

Are easy to find in our Cloak department. We believe the same qualities, combining fit and material, cannot be found elsewhere in this city for the same price. This week we have, ready for selling, twenty-five Reefs for children of four to twelve years. To be sure the \$3.75 we charge is no sort of recompense for the garment we give, but that's where the bargain comes in. They're made of Scotch Cheviots, different color mixes, prettily trimmed in various styles.

Then Capes.—We shall briefly mention a lot more to show you. Thirty-inch Kersey Capes, high storm collars, silk-lined, \$5. Twenty-six-inch Plush Cape, brocaded and braided, silk lined, \$5. Twenty-eight-inch Boucle Capes, silk faced, \$5.

You'll glory in the ownership of one of our Feather Boas or Fur Collarettes. Make welcome Christmas gifts. Either gives the finishing touch to a stylish costume. Year by year more of the fur selling centers here, because we sell for best and cheapest.

Dress Goods.—You've bought such quantities from us the past six weeks we are ashamed to ask you to buy more. But if you still have dress goods needs there is a wealth of material for selection here. English Broadcloth—everybody know its texture and wear. British dames and damsels wear it in their natty tailor suits; why shouldn't you? Several colors, fifty-four inches wide, \$1. A wardrobe is incomplete without a sturdy blue dress, storm serge, cheviot or kindred fabric that never pale at stormy weather. Every best kind is here, 25c. to \$1.25. Some of the prettiest and most popular fabrics of the season are in the 49c. lot. Plain and fancy suiting, both; choicest styles will not last much longer. A new gown will brighten any woman's Christmas.

D. HUNT & SON.

TWENTY MILLIONS.

The M. E. Church to Ask That Sum as a Twentieth Century Thank Offering!

[Springfield, Mass., Telegram to Chicago Herald.]

The members of the Methodist Episcopal Church in all parts of the world are to be asked to contribute \$20,000,000 for a "Twentieth century thank offering fund." The money will be devoted to charitable and educational institutions now maintained by the Methodist Church, and will be one of the grandest contributions any organization has ever undertaken for the benefit of the human race.

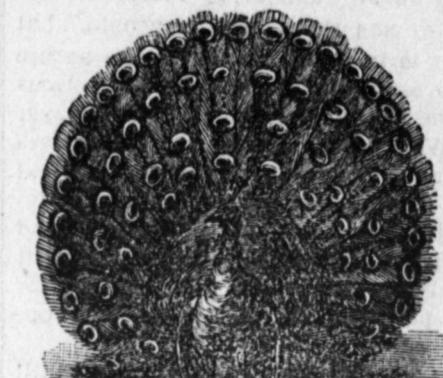
This "Twentieth century thank offering" is intended to be an expression of the thanks of the people of the Methodist Church for the completion of twenty centuries of Christianity, and the proposition to raise by voluntary contributions the vast sum of \$20,000,000 is believed by the Bishops of the church to be the most appropriate expression possible of that sentiment.

The invitations to Methodists to send in their money will probably be issued very soon, as the conference of the Bishops adjourned to-night. These invitations will be sent into every corner of the world and the advocates of the movement have no doubt the sum named will be secured. All the details of the proposition are not completed, and much must be done before the full plan is matured.

The task of raising so large a sum as \$20,000,000, seemingly impracticable, is by no means impossible, say the Bishops interested. Bishop Andrews, for instance, while not the most sanguine of those who attended the conference, is confident the sum raised will astonish the skeptics. He recalls the fact that as far back as 1862, when the 100th anniversary of the first Methodist Church in the United States was celebrated, a fund of \$6,000,000 was raised with comparative ease and dispatch.

It is understood that a considerable part of the \$20,000,000 will be expended in Africa. "Africa," said Bishop Hartzell to-night, "is rapidly being prepared for civilization. We have good church established in Liberia, with 2,000 pupils. There are eighty-five missionaries working in that republic. We hope to greatly extend our efforts in that continent."

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PEACOCK COAL.

HAS ARRIVED!

This celebrated Coal has no superior as a free burner. Makes a hot fire and leaves no cinders. Sold only by WILLIAM WORMALD, Maysville, Ky. We also keep best grades Pomeroy, Seminole, and aromatic Coke at reasonable prices. True economy to buy good Coal.

Leave orders at Elevator on Limestone street, or at office on Wall street. Telephone No. 48.

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544 FOURTH AVENUE,

LOUISVILLE, KY.

Will be at the Central Hotel, Maysville, Ky., TUESDAY, DEC. 13th, returning one day each month. Eyes examined and glasses scientifically adjusted.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A Durham Stock bull. A good breeder. Close to three years old. Apply at this office.

FOR RENT OR SALE—A six-room house on Forest avenue; large yard, stable, henry, garden and small orchard. Apply to J. L. CALDWELL, East Second street, Maysville.

FOR SALE—A typewriter; good as new; been used but little. Price \$35—a bargain. Apply at this office.

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For chapped hands and rough skin use Ray's Eliteine. At Postoffice Drug-store.

ORDERS for kindling promptly filled by Ohio Valley

The Bee Hive.

NOVELTY DRESS GOODS BARGAINS

In this particular portion of our great Dress Goods stock we have made especially strong efforts, and succeeded in collecting the choicest and cheapest line of "Novelties" ever seen in this vicinity. You'll find 'em in two lots—29c. and 59c. a yard. There is not a yard of the fifty odd bolts that is not worth one-half again as much as the price we're asking. Take a glance at our window display, inspect and be convinced.

20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT ON

SILK PETTICOATS.

Of all of our large stock of those choice Silk Petticoats you've so often admired, there remains just one solitary dozen. We'll hurry the sale of these by giving you a discount of 20 per cent on prices that are already extremely low. They vary in prices from \$4.95 to \$14.50. If you want one you had better call at once.

Notice to Bible Readers!

Do you read the Bible? Of course you do. Well, we want your attention. In our newly-opened Book department you'll find a BIBLE containing both Old and New Testament, sixteen different illustrations, a complete "concordance," two hundred and forty-five pages of "Bible Helps," which includes treatises on the great and minor Prophets, the natural history, geography and topography of the Holy Land, etc. And furthermore, a Bible atlas of fourteen distinct and highly tinted maps. This Bible is printed on good quality of paper, in clear type and bound in soft Morocco. The publisher's price is \$1.75; our price, as long as they last, 98c.

ROSENAU BROS., PROPRIETORS OF THE BEE HIVE, KINGS OF LOW PRICES.

COUNTY COURT.

Business Transacted at the Regular November Term—Wills Probated—Settlements Filed—Other Matters.

The regular term of County Court was held Monday, Judge Newell presiding.

The will of D. C. Yazell was produced in court and admitted to probate.

On motion of A. M. J. Cochran, Preston D. Wells was declared a gentleman of probity, honesty and good demeanor.

J. W. Porter qualified as administrator of Eli Greenlee, with J. H. Cummings as surety.

The last will of William Hickey was produced in court, partly proven and passed for further proof.

The County Board of Election Commissioners filed certificates showing result of the vote on the turnpike questions.

A paper purporting to be the last will of Mrs. Julia G. Morgan was produced in court, proven and admitted to probate.

The heirs of Alexander Hilen withdrew their exceptions to the settlement of R. G. Osborne as committee of Alexander Hilen, and said settlement was ordered recorded.

The following settlements offered at the last term and ordered to lie over until this term for exceptions were ordered recorded:

T. M. Dora, guardian of Fannie Reed.

Ezekiel Williams, guardian of William Haley.

The following settlements were filed and ordered to lie over until next term for exceptions:

Union Trust Company, guardian of Nelson B. Rogers.

Edwin Henderson, guardian of Relia Jones.

Frank P. O'Donnell, administrator of Johanna Donovan.

W. P. Dickson qualified as administrator of B. A. Mastin.

James Lashbrooke, executor of Frances B. Lashbrooke, produced and filed his inventory and appraisalment of the personal estate of said deceased.

HUNTING coats and leggings, cheap, at Frank Owens Hardware Company.

A LARGE audience was at the Christian Church last night to hear the eloquent young pastor's sermon on "The Atonement of Christ." At the close of the discourse, one person was baptized. Preaching to-night at 7 o'clock. Subject: "The Beginning of the Church." The public cordially invited.

In the opinion of Alfred Russell Wallace, the distinguished English author, there were but two inventions of prime importance before the fifteenth century, namely, Arabic numerals and alphabetical writing. He credits the fifteenth century with one, the mariner's compass; the seventeenth century with one, the telescope; the eighteenth century with one, the steam engine, and the nineteenth century with the following twelve: Railways, steam navigation, electric telegraphs, telephone, friction matches, gas lighting, photography, the X-ray, the phonograph, spectrum analysis, anaesthesia, and the use of antiseptics in surgery.

MARTIN TOMLIN, of Adams County, O., and Mary Drake, of this county, marry to-day.

POLICEMAN WALLACE recovered the ring stolen from the residence of Mr. W. W. Willocks a few days since by a colored woman.

THE guarantee list for the series of entertainment the Y. M. C. A. is arranging is in the hands of Mr. H. C. Curran. See him and subscribe for a season ticket. Only \$1 for the five entertainments.

MAYOR STALLCUP, Chief of Police Donovan, Deputy Circuit Clerk W. C. Johnson, Mr. Tom Guilloyle and Mr. Ab. Shepard compose a party of Nimrods who left for the wilds of Lewis County last evening. They took a two-horse wagon along in which to bring their game back.

MR. THOMAS MOLLOY, of Germantown, has purchased the farm and elegant residence of Mr. John Gabby, situated between Fern Leaf and Minerva. The place is handsomely improved and the location one of the most desirable in the county. The land cost Mr. Molloy \$100 per acre.

A DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

Polk Miller, the Virginia Wit, Greeted by a Large Crowd at the Court House Last Night.

Mr. Miller was greeted at the court house last evening by a large and appreciative audience which he entertained for over two hours without a break, (except for applause) from Judge Wadsworth's graceful introduction to his own touching finale.

Perhaps no man better understands the negro character, certainly no man can give the dialect as he. He knows the negro as nurse, playmate and mentor, as servant, and friend. His pictures are drawn in with loving strokes—they are reminiscences. What wonder that they are natural, that they touch the heart?

That is where Polk Miller gets in his best work, on one's heart strings. He brings tears as well as laughter. His banjo playing is a revelation, its rhythm and swing are irresistible. As an entertainer he is inimitable, and the verdict of those who had heard him on his previous engagement here was unanimous, that like wine he only improves with age.

Yet when we think of the man,—the friend we have had the opportunity of knowing and loving,—we feel that Polk Miller, the gentleman, will take first rank in our affections, and Polk Miller, the entertainer, in our admiration afterwards. They who know the man can say this to those who know the entertainer.

Mr. Miller has a warm place in his heart for his "other home," as Mrs. Miller calls Kentucky, and his remark last evening that if he should ever leave Virginia it would be to live in Kentucky was received with tremendous applause.

Misses January, Coons, Wadsworth and Whittaker ushered in evening gowns.

Mr. Miller's leaving on the 10:45 train

declined his acceptance of an invitation to a charming little midnight supper tendered by Mr. and Mrs. George L. Cox.

BURGOO, tomato and bean soup—Calhoun's.

PEARL-HANDLE knives, sterling forks, beautiful cut glass, at Clooney's.

A MOVEMENT is on foot among Indiana ministers to discourage Sunday funerals.

HAMILTON FOX, of Dover, had one eye accidentally shot out while hunting in Ohio.

MR. AND MRS. HARRY OWENS' little son was quite ill last evening, but was better this morning.

THERE were forty-one additions at the Ford, Ky., revival, conducted by the Rev. S. M. Bernard, Jr.

FRANK OWENS HARDWARE COMPANY are going to sell guns cheaper than ever during the next ten days.

REV. R. B. BRINEY, formerly of this city, will go from Kentucky to become pastor of the church at Amarillo, Tex.

CHENOWETH'S Cough Syrup will relieve your cough or it costs you nothing, as he refunds the money if it does not relieve.

THE ODDFELLOWS' HALL CLOTHING STORE!

Why So Many Buy here, and You Should Too--

Because we have gained a reputation for selling only good Clothing and at moderate prices. You see more styles and better values at our house than any other in the State. That may seem strange, but it's true, just the same. People tell us so, and they know.

OUR FALL and WINTER STOCK OF CLOTHING

for men, boys and children is the largest we ever had. It matters not what you want, we can fill the bill.

The same can be said of our FURNISHING GOODS department. In this department you find the good and durable moderate price goods up to the very best made.

Our..... Shoe Department...

has quickly grown to be a feature in our business. Like in all our other lines we handle

only the very best makes. Every pair of Shoes we sell we guarantee to wear all right. Look in our show window and you will see just what you want in the way of a nice pair of Shoes.

Hechinger & Co.

Notice!

We have moved our entire business to the plant formerly occupied by the Maysville Carriage Company, adjoining the new opera house. We now have one of the best arranged houses in the State. In addition to our already established lines of business we will manufacture a high grade of Buggies, Carriages and Phaetons. Will make a specialty of RUBBER TIRED wheels and all kinds of Carriage Repairing and Painting at Reasonable prices. We extend a hearty welcome to our friends and the public in general to call and see us in our new quarters when in need of anything in our line. Will take great pleasure in showing them through our stock. We employ only first-class mechanics and guarantee all work.

THOMPSON & McATEE.

Daily the express and freight wagons deliver new goods at our doors to replenish our stock.

New York Store OF HAYS & CO.

Knows the wants of the trade and is anxious to serve you. JACKETS and CAPES—lots of them and cheaper than ever. Nice Black Double Cape, \$1.00. Fine Seal Plush Capes, \$2.75, worth \$5.00. Nice Reeler Jackets for Girls, \$1.49. See our \$4.75 Cloth Jacket; it's a stunner. Our Dress Goods and Silk departments are full of bargains. See our all wool Suitings at 25c. We are selling more SHOES than ever. We can positively save you 25 per cent. on every Shoe you buy. RUBBERS—Men's Rubbers, 25c.; Ladies' very finest Caule Rubbers, 25c.

HAYS & CO. NEW YORK STORE.

TROUBLE FOR THE TRUST.

The Combine of Tobacco Manufacturers Meeting Opposition in Unprecedented Way.

[The Weed, Louisville.]

Our St. Louis editor tells us that at several points in the West jobbers have refused to sell trust goods, and that the A. T. Co. has had to send its goods direct to the retailer. The cost to them and likewise the retailer to do business in this way is a great deal more than through the jobber, and the consequence is the trust has lost a great volume of business in that section of the country.

We expect to hear of this being done in several other points, as the West is being aroused as no other section to the great injury trusts are working in every line of business, more especially tobacco. St. Louis is the great fighting point in the tobacco line, and we anticipate, from rumors out, the jobbing trade of that city will soon take some action as to Trust goods, as the territory controlled by the trade of that city is more anti-trust than any section of the country.

It is more than likely the jobbers of that city will be forced to stop selling trust goods. This will mean a blow to the trust that will hurt, and we hope it will not be long in coming. The trust may think it has an easy time ahead, but if indications point to anything, the future for them looks very ugly.

REV. E. V. SPICER will marry Miss Catherine Shumate, of Danville, next month.

DR. P. C. S. BARBOUR, Superintendent of the city hospital at Louisville, died Sunday night.

REV. E. L. POWELL is engaged in a protracted meeting at his church in Louisville. There have been over twenty confessions.

A Frightful Blunder

Will often cause a horrible burn, scald, cut or bruise. Buckle's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, will kill the pain and promptly heal it. Cures old sores, fever sores, ulcers, boils, felonies, corns, all skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. Only 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by J. J. Wood & Son, druggists.



If you want a nice Wedding Present—if you want a Present for any purpose—at

GEO. F. BROWN'S CHINA PALACE

can be seen the latest in Chops, Salads, Plates, Souvenir Cups, Lamps, Bric-a-Brac, etc. Utmost care has been used in selecting these goods, and it gives us pleasure to show them. They are now open for inspection. Remember the place—

40 WEST SECOND STREET.

THEY HAVE TO GO!

For the next thirty days we will sacrifice prices on

ROBES and BLANKETS

We are overstocked and will give special inducements. Come in and see.

Klipp & Brown

WANTED—20,000 bushels of corn for export. Highest market price paid. T. J. WINTER & Co.

WANTED—Five thousand No. 1 fat turkeys. R. B. LOVELL.

ENCOURAGED

By my large and steadily increasing trade, I have determined to meet, to the fullest extent, all the wants of that trade, and have bought more extensively than ever before and have now in stock and daily arriving, bought from first hands for CASH, at rock-bottom prices, what I have no hesitancy in saying is the largest, cleanest, most complete and attractive stock ever offered to the people of Maysville and vicinity. I wish to call special attention to my immense and superior stock of New Crop Molasses, Sorghum, Green and Roasted Coffees, Sugars and Teas of all grades, the finest brands of Sugar Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon, Boneless Shoulders and pure Leaf Lard; the most complete stock of Canned Goods, Catsup and Pickles; the greatest variety of Raisins, Prunes, Currents, Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel, Figs, Dates, Shelled Almonds and every article in that fine fresh and new; Maple Sugar and Maple Syrup, Buckwheat Flour, Graham Flour, Rolled Oats, Oatmeal, Wheatlets, Hominy and Cereals of all kinds; Dr. Price's Flavoring Extracts and Fruit Colorings, the purest and best in the world.

My house will be THE HEADQUARTERS for Poultry, Game, Oysters, Celery, Cranberries, Apples, Oranges, Lemons, Bananas, &c.; in fact every article good to eat and of the very best. I allow no one to handle better goods than I do and I cannot and will not be undersold either here or elsewhere. Remember I still handle "Perfection" Flour, which is the best, and my Superior Blended Coffee has no equal.

For the Holidays I have made larger purchases than ever before of FIREWORKS of all kinds and CANDIES, so keep a lookout for my great Holiday special, which will be a stunner.

I run two wagons regular, and will deliver all goods sold to any part of the city promptly. A street car ticket given with each cash purchase of \$1.00 or over. Don't fail to call for a Picture Card and secure an elegant Picture of any one of your family.

People from the country are invited to make my house headquarters while in our city.

R. B. LOVEL,
'Phone 83. THE LEADING GROCER. 'Phone 83.

COUNTY CULLINGS.

Items Picked Up by the Bulletin's Correspondents in Mason and Elsewhere.

GERMANTOWN.

Misses Ida Walton and Ida May Tyler attended the Burgess-Watson wedding at Maysville.

J. A. Walton talks of buying a lot on which to build a fine residence and move to our town.

Mrs. Lillie Walton will visit relatives and enjoy the society of her boys in college at Lexington this week.

Our school was suspended for two days last week on a false alarm of diphtheria, but resumed Monday.

S. D. Rigdon, Superintendent of the telephone line to Maysville, reports the posts set for more than two-thirds of the way.

It is too bad that our cousin Mordecai was so near and is yet so far. Perhaps he may live to see Haman hung on his own gallows.

Miss Dora Renaker returned to her school at Millersburg on Monday morning, much renewed in health and strength by her visit home.

Dr. Corliss Wallen, of Brooksville, attended church in town Sunday evening. There is a little god who so inspires the hearts of man at times that they fear neither rain nor darkness.

The association of teachers of Bracken County will meet at this place on the 25th of this month. Members of the profession from adjoining counties will be invited, and a good time is expected. People generally are solicited to attend and enjoy these exercises.

James Lane Allen literary club met at the home of J. R. Walton Friday evening for reorganization, and to lay out the course of study for the winter. J. R. Hunlong was elected President and Miss Grace Pepper Secretary. They will meet at the same place next Friday evening.

PLUMVILLE.

Some peach trees in this vicinity are in full bloom.

Mrs. Ida McDonald was shopping in Maysville Saturday.

Charles Moore is visiting his father near Georgetown, O., this week.

There will be another box supper at Bethany Church Tuesday night.

There was considerable surprise at the small majority Judge Pugh received at Plumville.

Mrs. Hulda McDonald, of Pleasant Ridge, was visiting the family of T. P. Degman Saturday.

A man named Riggs was here Sunday hunting a skiff that had been stolen from Concord Saturday night.

Mrs. C. P. Vawter returned Monday from Lexington where she had been visiting her son Charles for a few days.

It has been held that consumption is hereditary and that one person of a family had died with consumption was considered a sure sign that others of that family could not escape it. This is partly true and partly untrue. A man with weak lungs is likely to transmit that weakness to his children. But there is no reason in the world why the weakness should be allowed to develop. Keep the lungs full of rich, red, wholesome blood, and the weakness will disappear. Decayed tissues will be thrown off, and new material will be added until the lungs are well and perfectly strong again. This is the thing that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery does. This is what makes it cure 98 per cent. of all cases of consumption where it is taken according to directions. It searches out disease germs wherever they may be in the body and forces them out of the system. It supplies the blood with rich, life-giving properties. It makes the appetite good, digestion perfect. Send 21 cents in one-cent stamp to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y., and receive Dr. Pierce's 1008 page "Common Sense Medical Adviser," profusely illustrated.

The Mormons of Utah are arranging to send 250 more missionaries to the South to secure proselytes, and fifty more of the Latter Day Saints will invade Kentucky.

WATER sets, tea sets, cut glass, sterling silver and silver plated knives, forks, spoons, odd pieces and a large list of other goods suitable for any and all kinds of presents can be found at Ballenger's.

SIR WILLIAM MERRIOTT

Admits Having Received a Large Sum From Bankrupt Hooley.

London, Nov. 15.—The examination in bankruptcy proceedings of Ernest Terah Hooley, the company promoter, was resumed.

Sir William Merritt took the stand and declared that Mr. Hooley's statement that he had paid the witness £11,000 for introducing him (Hooley) to the Carlton club was "a pure invention and abominable lie."

Sir William added that he had not known anything at the time about Mr. Hooley's alleged donation of £10,000 to the Conservative party funds through the Marquis of Abergavenny, though Mr. Hooley told him afterwards that he had given the marquis £10,000 for the "fighting funds" of the Conservative party, which Sir William Merritt explained had nothing to do with the Carlton club.

The witness also said he had helped Mr. Hooley in political and financial matters, but had always declined remuneration for his services.

Later, Sir William Merritt said Mr. Hooley told him in December, 1896, that he was engaged with an American syndicate which was going to raise an enormous loan for Cuba, and said he, the witness, had been appointed counsel to the company's commission, which was to visit Cuba, and that the fee was to be £10,000, in view of which Mr. Hooley paid him £1,000 on account.

On cross-examination, Sir William Merritt admitted that he had received a check for £50,000 from Mr. Hooley, which he handed to representatives of the Conservative party.

Mr. Hooley believed this would secure him a baronetcy at the jubilee, but he was informed that he could not have it, and the check was returned to him.

Where Money Is Very Mixed.

Although all accounts are kept in dollars and cents (American standard) in British Guiana, there is no existing coinage to correspond. Gold is rarely tendered, all larger sums being handled in bank notes, kept so long in circulation that they become almost unrecognizable in their filthy fragmentary dilapidation.

The silver coinage consists of the most incongruous varieties. Besides British a number of coins, fractions and multiples of the "gilder," enter largely into circulation. These are known as the "bit" (4d.), "half bit," the "two bits," the "gilder" (being 32 cents, or 1s. 4d.), and even a peculiar three half-penny piece is still extant, although eagerly sought by collectors.

All these coins are of great and interesting variety, incident on the transfer of the colony from the Dutch and the once distinct governments of Berbice and Demerara and Essequebo, long since amalgamated.

Of copper coins the penny is known as a "gill," while the humble baboon becomes a "cent." Farthings were once introduced, but were regarded with contempt and suspicion, except by a few Chinamen, who succeeded in passing them in their brightness for half sovereigns.

To instance the confusion resulting, 11½d. is here described as "two bits and a half and a gill and a cent"—London Tit-Bits.

PERSONAL.

Lieutenant Carroll Power, of Flemingsburg, is in town visiting relatives and friends.

—Dr. Landman will be at the Central Hotel, Maysville, on Thursday, November 17th.

—Mrs. E. L. Worthington has returned home after a pleasant visit to relatives at Gallipolis.

—Miss Anna Dieterich returned last evening from a visit to relatives at Philadelphia and New York.

—Friends of Miss Lizzie Coughlin will be pleased to know that she is slowly recovering from a severe sick spell.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Castello and daughter, of Kansas City, arrived Monday afternoon on a visit to relatives in this city and county.

—Miss Phoebe Forman, Miss Wood and Mr. George Wood, Jr., came in from Washington last evening to attend the entertainment at the court house.

—Mr. George Longnecker, of Mayslick, attended the Folk Miller entertainment last evening and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Madison while in the city.

—Quite a party from Tuckahoe attended the Folk Miller entertainment last night, amongst them Mr. and Mrs. Bacon, Mr. John E. Bouldin and daughter and the Misses Pickett.

—Miss Ethelene Wall and Miss Harriette Johnson are visiting Mrs. Wilson and Miss Mamie Scott, at Mayslick, the occasion being a "bowling party" given to the visiting friends of Miss Scott. The alley is a pronounced success.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying Electric Bitters, and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50¢ a bottle at J. J. Wood & Son's drug store.

Brakeeman's Terrible Mishap.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Nov. 15.—Ben Durroset, a brakeman on the Red River Valley railroad, in Menifee county, fell under the train and was run over. His right leg was mangled and an amputation was necessary to save his life. He is in a critical condition.

Fishery Disasters for the Year.

Gloucester, Mass., Nov. 15.—The books of the Gloucester Mutual Fishing Insurance company show the loss for the year of 19 fishing vessels, valued at \$88,125, and carried a insurance of \$66,752. The total tonnage was 1,287.67.

Death of Archibishop Gross.

Baltimore, Nov. 15.—William Hickley Gross, archbishop of Oregon, Roman Catholic church, died at St. Joseph's hospital of this city of heart disease. Archibishop Gross came to this city to attend a celebration at St. Charles college, Ellicott City, Md., and was taken sick on Nov. 6, since which time he has been confined to his bed in St. Joseph's hospital.

War Against Scalpers.

Pittsburg, Nov. 15.—Prominent railroad officials connected with the passenger departments of the New York Central, Baltimore and Ohio, Big Four, Pennsylvania and Central and Western Passenger associations are in conference here. The object of the meeting is said to be in reference to the war against the scalpers.

Shoe Makers Ordered Out.

Marlboro, Mass., Nov. 15.—The joint executive council of the Boot and Shoe Workers' unions ordered the 2,600 employees in seven factories. The S. H. Howe company, Rice & Hutchins and J. A. Frye & Company are the firms affected.

New Fish Trust.

Cleveland, Nov. 15.—Cleveland will be represented in the recently formed fish trust by the big wholesale fish house of the E. R. Edison company. By reason of the consolidation this plant will at once increase its capacity.

MARKET REPORTS.

Grain and Stock Quotations For Nov. 14.

New York.

Beef—Family, \$11.00@12.00; extra mess, \$8.00@8.75; packed, \$8.00@10.50. Cut meats—Pork bellies 9½@10½; pickled shoulders, 4½%; pickled hams, 7½@8c. Lard—Western steam, \$6.45. Pork—Old mess, \$11.75@12.25.

Butter—Western dairy, 14½@15½c; creamy, 14½@18½c; do; cheese, 11½@14c. Cheese—Large white, 8½c; small white, 8c; large colored, 8½c; small colored, 9c. Eggs—State and Pennsylvania, 11½@12c; western fresh, 17½c.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 78½c. Corn—No. 2, 39c. Oats—No. 2, 29c.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, \$5.25@5.40; good, \$4.90@5.10; tidy butchers, \$4.50@4.75; fair, 20@24.40; heifers, \$3.25@3.40; bulls, stags and cows, \$2.25@3.85; fresh cows, \$3.00@3.60. Calves—\$2.40@2.50.

Hogs—Best heavy, \$3.50@3.60; best medium, \$3.10@3.25; best Yorkers, \$3.45@3.50; common to fair, \$3.40@3.45; pigs, \$3.40@3.50; skips, \$2.50@2.60.

Sheep and Lambs—Choice sheep, \$4.40@4.50; good, \$4.30@4.35; fair, \$4.00@4.25; choice lambs, \$5.30@5.50; common to good, \$3.50@5.20.

Baltimore.

Cattle—Butchers', \$4.40@4.75; shipping, \$4.00@5.00; tops, \$5.25@5.35; cows and heifers, \$3.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@4.25. Calves—\$7.50@8.00.

Hogs—Yorkers, \$3.50@3.60; medium, \$3.50@3.60; heavy, \$3.60@3.65; pigs, \$3.50@3.55.

Lambs—Best, \$5.75@5.80; poorest, \$3.75@4.25.

Wheat—68½c. Corn—81½c. Oats—29½c.

Chicago.

Cattle—Native beef steers, \$8.90@9.00; stockers and feeders, \$8.00@8.50; calves, \$8.00@7.90; western range steers, \$8.40@8.45; Texans, \$8.50@8.90.

Hogs—Common, \$8.20@8.30; best, \$8.50@8.60; pigs, \$2.90@3.15.

Lambs—Best, \$5.75@5.80; poorest, \$3.75@4.25.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 85c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 35c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 27½c. Bye No. 2, 4½c.

Lard—\$4.75. Bulk meat—\$5.75. Bacon—\$6.40.

Hogs—\$3.00@3.55. Cattle—\$2.50@2.85.

Sheep—\$2.20@2.40. Lambs—\$3.75@3.25.

Toledo.

Wheat—No. 2, 70½c. Corn—No. 2 mixed, 33½c. Oats—No. 2 mixed, 25c. Rye—No. 2, 52½c.

Cloverseed—Old, \$4.60; new, \$5.05.

Baltimore.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 10c. Eggs—Fresh, 17½@18c.

RETAIL MARKET.

GREEN COFFEE—\$1.00@1.15.

MOLASSES—new crop, \$1.00@1.15.

Golden Syrup—\$1.00@1.15.

Sorghum, fancy new—\$1.00@1.15.

SUGAR—Yellow, \$1.00@1.